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430 South Capitol Street SE
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Dear Mr. Johnson:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Schedules D discloses \$4,888.85 and \$13,260.42 in debt and obligation payments to Perkins, Coie and Democratic Properties Corporation, respectively (pertinent portions attached). A review of the schedules for the Non-Federal Corporate Account discloses a total of \$4,888.85 in payments to Perkins, Coie (pertinent portion attached). A review of the schedules for the Non-Federal Building Account discloses a \$13,260.42 payment to Democratic Properties Corporation (pertinent portion attached). Unpaid bills and written contracts or agreements are considered expenditures (11 CFR §100.8(a)(2)). Party committees that make disbursements in connection with federal and non-federal elections shall make those disbursements entirely from funds subject to the prohibitions and limitations of the Act, or from accounts established pursuant to 11 CFR §§102.5 and 106.5(a)(1). Please amend your report to clarify these transactions.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days